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1. Rumors are now circulating among members of the Chinese Communist Party (CCP) Municipal Committee* that the CCP has received a document from the Soviet Politburo stating that the Soviets agree to CCP leadership in the present stage of the revolutionary struggle in Asia.

2. During a political indoctrination [REDACTED] discussed revolutionary leadership in Asia and concluded that the CCP should exert its leadership. [REDACTED] that the Soviets lead all Communist countries, so that CCP leadership in Asia is in reality leadership by the Soviets. Therefore, the Soviets agree that leadership in Asia belongs to the Chinese.

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* [REDACTED] Comment. The Peiping Municipal Committee of the CCP is believed to be the equivalent of the Moscow City Soviet.

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